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HYDROLYSIS-RESISTANT, TRANSPARENT,

BIAXIALLY ORIENTED FILM MADE FROM A CRYSTALLIZABLE THERMOPLASTIC, AND PROCESS FOR ITS PRODUCTION

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Commisioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

March 4, 2004

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 10, 2003, and the Advisory Action dated March 2, 2004 kindly consider the following amendments and remarks. A Request for Continued Examination and a 1-month Extension of Time to be charged to Deposit Account 50-2193 are also enclosed. A 2-month Extension of Time was submitted with our Amendment of February 6, 2004 in response to the Final Office dated September 10, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.